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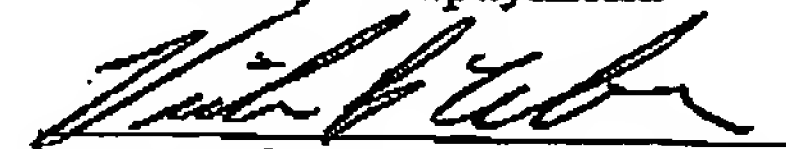
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In re application of: Christopher J. Duguay, et al.

Entitled: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR IMPLEMENTING AN SMBUS/I²C INTERFACE ON A NETWORK INTERFACE CARD

Transmitted herewith is a Request for Continued Examination in the above-identified application. The following checked items are applicable:

- ☒ This is a Request for Continued Examination under §1.114; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$770.00) per §1.17(e).
- ☒ Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on May 6, 2004 per §1.116.
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- ☐ Other:

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Independent	2 - 3	= 0	x \$86.00 =	0
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TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE				0

- ☐ No additional fee. ☐ The fee has been calculated above; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 (\$) for the cost of same.
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